

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION 10

1200 Sixth Avenue Seattle, Washington 98101

## ENFORCEMENT CONFIDENTIAL ATTORNEY-CLIENT PRIVILEGE

Reply To Attn Of: OCE-133

MAY 2 3 2006

## **CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Mr. Don Giles Icicle Seafoods, Inc. 4019 21st Avenue West Seattle, WA 98199

Re:

M/V Northern Victor

NPDES Permit #AK0052868

Dear Mr. Giles:

I am writing in regards to the enforcement matter concerning the violations by Icicle Seafoods, Inc. (Icicle) of its National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit #AK0052868 (Permit). At our meeting with your staff on February 10, 2006, we discussed, among other violations, Icicle's failure to remove the historical waste pile in Udagak Bay (Pile A) as required under Section IV.D.1.a. of the Permit and possible procedures for addressing the pile. Icicle raised the issue of leaving the waste pile in place. We have discussed this matter internally, and EPA is not amenable to leaving Pile A in place. EPA therefore requests that Icicle immediately take the following steps to comply with its Permit and remediate Pile A.

Please submit a waste pile cleanup plan, as required by the Permit, within thirty days of receipt of this letter for EPA's review and approval. The plan should meet the purpose and objectives of the waste pile cleanup program, as outlined in the Permit, and should include the methods, the schedule, as well as the cost estimates associated with the remediation. We look forward to hearing about your progress in this regard at our meeting scheduled for June 13.

If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at (206) 553-1603.

Sincerely,

Margo Young
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Compliance Officer

cc:

Dan Block, Icicle Seafoods, Inc. Terry Leitzell, Icicle Seafoods, Inc. Cara Steiner-Riley, EPA Gina Belt, DOJ

